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1. NAMIBIA --

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CONTACT GROUP ON NAMIBIA AGREED THAT ROUND OF  
"PROXIMITY" TALKS SHOULD BE HELD WITH SOUTH AFRICA AND  
SWAPO IN NEW YORK BEGINNING JAN. 17. INTENTION IS TO  
PROVIDE BOTH PARTIES WITH THE FORMAL WESTERN FIVE PROPOSAL  
FOR A SETTLEMENT SEVERAL DAYS PRIOR TO THE TALKS AND TO  
DISCUSS THE PROPOSAL AT THE TALKS. IT IS HOPED THAT  
MOVEMENT ON THE PART OF EITHER OR BOTH PARTIES CAN BE

GENERATED BY: PUBLICITY AND EXPECTATIONS SURROUNDING THE TALKS; REALIZATION BY BOTH PARTIES THAT THIS IS THEIR LAST CHANCE TO NEGOTIATE; AND EFFORTS WHICH FIVE WILL MAKE IN THE MEANTIME TO PRESSURE SWAPO THROUGH THE FRONTLINE STATES, NORDICS AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES.

AT INVITATION OF NIGERIAN AMB HARRIMAN, AMBASSADORS YOUNG AND MCHENRY MET WITH HIM AND AMBASSADORS KONIE (ZAMBIA) AND SALIM (TANZANIA) TO DISCUSS POSSIBLE JANUARY SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING. MCHENRY CAUTIONED AGAINST PROCEEDING ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE NAMIBIA TALKS HAD FAILED. HE RESTATED USG COMMITMENT TO AN INTERNATIONALLY ACCEPTABLE SOLUTION, EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT THE FIVE WILL COME UP WITH A REASONABLE PROPOSAL, BUT EMPHASIZED THAT BOTH SWAPO AND SOUTH AFRICA WILL HAVE TO BE MORE FLEXIBLE. HARRIMAN ENDORSED THE PROXIMITY TALKS AND SUGGESTED IT WOULD BE IMPORTANT TO HAVE HIGH-LEVEL REPRESENTATION FROM THE FRONTLINE STATES AND NIGERIA. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN 5768, 5769)

2. COMMITTEE ON SANCTIONS TIGHTENING (COST) --  
AT COST'S DEC. 19 MEETING, UK (RELLIE) SAID HMG WOULD HAVE CONSIDERABLE DIFFICULTY IN SUBMITTING CANDID ANSWERS TO QUESTIONNAIRE ON "THIRD-COUNTRY LOOPHOLES" BECAUSE OF POSSIBILITY OF LEAKS. SEVERAL MEMBERS NOTED RELATIVE HELPLESSNESS OF THEIR COUNTRIES TO BLOCK "THIRD-  
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COUNTRY LOOPHOLES" IN ANY CASE. UK SUBMITTED A DOCUMENT ON TECHNICAL ANALYSIS OF RHODESIAN EXPORTS. IRANIAN REP, WHO WAS NOT PRESENT AT MEETING, HAS BEEN ORDERED BY HIS GOVERNMENT NOT TO PARTICIPATE FURTHER IN COST, REPORTEDLY BECAUSE OF FAST-GROWING IRANIAN SENSITIVITY TO CRITICISM OF HER OIL LINKS TO SOUTH AFRICA. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN 5764)

3. VISITING RHODESIANS --

PRESIDENT OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE ACADEMY, MAJOR GENERAL RIKHYE, HAS REQUESTED ISSUANCE OF AIRPORT ENTRY VISAS FOR RHODESIAN BUSINESSMAN C. G. TRACEY AND PARTY OF FIVE, INCLUDING INFLUENTIAL MEMBERS OF BLACK RHODESIAN PROFESSIONAL COMMUNITY, TO DISCUSS SETTLEMENT OPTIONS IN RHODESIA WITH UN AND US OFFICIALS. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- USUN 5766)

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UNSUMMARY

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#### 4. NONALIGNED PREPARATIONS FOR DISARMAMENT SESSION--

USUN'S IMPRESSION, FROM DISCUSSIONS WITH SEVERAL NON-ALIGNED DELEGATIONS, IS THAT THE NONALIGNED ARE OPEN TO DIALOGUE WITH US ON VARIOUS PROPOSALS FOR CHANGES IN MULTILATERAL DISARMAMENT MACHINERY, INCLUDING THE CCD ITSELF AND ITS FUTURE RELATIONSHIP WITH THE GA. THEIR MAIN OBJECTIVE, HOWEVER, REMAINS TO USE THE SPECIAL SESSION ON DISARMAMENT (SSOD) AS A POLITICAL SPOTLIGHT TO PRESSURE THE SOVIETS AND OUTSELVES TO ACCELERATE THE PACE OF NEGOTIATIONS, PARTICULARLY ON NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT. THERE SEEMS TO BE A FAIR MEASURE OF AGREEMENT WITHIN THE GROUP ON THEIR DRAFT DECLARATION, BUT SUBSTANTIAL DIFFERENCES ON THE PROGRAM OF ACTION. MEXICO WANTS THE LATTER FOCUSED AND LIMITED TO A THREE-YEAR PERIOD, WHILE YUGOSLAVIA WANTS A LONGER-TERM COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM. AT THIS STAGE THE NONALIGNED OBJECTIVE IS TO SEEK MODIFICATIONS OF CCD STRUCTURES AND PROCEDURES WHICH WOULD MAKE  
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IT ACCESSIBLE TO ALL STATES, AND FACILITATE FRENCH AND EVENTUALLY CHINESE PARTICIPATION. THE NONALIGNED SEEM TO FAVOR A COMMITTEE 1. AGENDA DEVOTED EXCLUSIVELY TO DISARMAMENT AND SECURITY ISSUES, BUT USUN DOUBTS THERE HAS

BEEN MUCH ANALYSIS OF HOW TO MAKE THE DISARMAMENT DEBATES  
SUBSTANTIVELY MORE MEANINGFUL AND EFFECTIVE. (CONFIDENTIAL  
--USUN 5763)

5. COMMITTEE ON NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS--  
THE NGO COMMITTEE WILL MEET JAN. 16-27 AND ITS AGENDA  
INCLUDES CONSIDERATION OF 21 APPLICATIONS FOR CONSULTATIVE  
STATUS WHICH WERE DEFERRED FROM THE JANUARY 1977 MEETING.  
THE COMMITTEE WILL THEN BEGIN REVIEW OF NGO'S IN CATEGORIES  
I AND II. THOSE ORGANIZATIONS MOST LIKELY TO BE STRONGLY  
CRITICIZED, I.E., ALREADY SINGLED OUT BY THE USSR  
AND ARGENTINA AS HAVING VIOLATED THEIR STATUS, INCLUDE  
AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL, INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE FOR HUMAN  
RIGHTS, AND INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION OF JURISTS. (LIMITED  
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6. HAITIAN INTEREST IN NARCOTICS INTERDICTION EFFORTS--

HAITIAN PERM CHARLES EXPRESSED GOH'S INTEREST IN  
INCREASING NARCOTICS INTERDICTION EFFORTS IN HAITI AND IN  
OBTAINING MEDIUM-SIZE PATROL BOATS FOR THAT PURPOSE.  
IN RESPONSE TO MISOFF'S COMMENT ON RECENT EFFECTIVE US-  
HAITIAN COOPERATION AT MOL SAN NICHOLAS, CHARLES SUGG-  
ESTED AN AGREEMENT ON SUCH COOPERATION MIGHT MEET HAITIAN  
INTERDICTION REQUIREMENTS WITHOUT THE COST OF PURCHASING  
AND MAINTAINING PATROL BOATS. WITH REGARD TO HAITI'S  
CHANGED POSITION ON A NUMBER OF ISSUES AT THIS GA, CHARLES  
SAID THAT FOREIGN MINISTER BRUTUS HAD ADOPTED A MORE  
"PROGRESSIVE" STANCE AND GREATER INTEREST IN DECOLONIZA-  
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